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Country	Application No.	Date of Filing	Priority Claimed Under 35 USC 119

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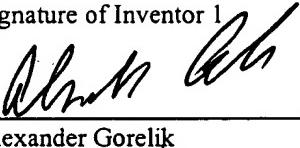
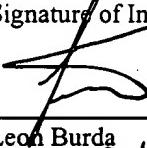
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Acta Technology, Inc.

Application No./Patent No.: 09/782,178 Filed/Issue Date: February 12, 2001

Entitled: HIGH AVAILABILITY DATABASE SYSTEM USING LIVE/LOAD DATABASE COPIES

Acta Technology, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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